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Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.53(b), transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

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Title: "DATA RECORDING MEDIUM AND CODE READER"

Priority Claim (35 U.S.C. 119) is made, based upon:

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Enclosed herewith are:

- [X] Specification (Description, Claims, Abstract): Pages 1 - 52 ; Number of claims 1 - 23  
[X] Declaration and Power of Attorney [X] executed; [ ] unexecuted (supplied for information purposes)  
[X] 8 Sheets of drawings, Figures 1 - 23 [X] Formal [ ] Informal  
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Independent Claims	<u>5</u> - 3 =		<u>2</u>	x \$84.00 =	\$ <u>168.00</u>
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS				+ \$280.00 =	\$
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